

Social Security Advisory Board
Minutes
Board Meeting
February 12, 2014

Location: 400 Virginia Avenue, S.W., Suite 625
Washington, D.C. 20024

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

SSAB Members: Barbara Kennelly, Acting Chair
Bernadette Franks-Ongoy
Jagadeesh Gokhale
Dorcas Hardy

Presenters: **Glenn Sklar**, Deputy Commissioner, Office of Disability
Adjudication and Review
Patricia A. Jonas, Executive Director, Office of Appellate
Operations
Gerald Ray, Deputy Executive Director, Office of Appellate
Operations
Jae Song, Economist, Office of Electronic Services and
Strategic Information

SSAB Staff: Claire Green, Staff Director
Jackie Chapin
Jeremy Elder
Joel Feinleib
Alec Moore
David Warner
Sarah Weaver
Lynn Fisher, Detailee
David Gamble, Detailee
Emery MacFarlane, Detailee
Randy Yiadom, Staff Intern
Mohammad Humza, Staff Intern

During its February meeting, the Board met with Social Security Administration (SSA) executives Glenn Sklar, Patricia Jonas, and Gerald Ray from the Office of Disability Adjudication and Review (ODAR) and Jae Song, from the Office of Electronic Services and Strategic Information. These individuals were invited to the meeting for a follow-up to an earlier discussion held in September 2013 on the topic of recent data analysis efforts being developed by ODAR. Specifically, this data analysis has been used to help maintain and improve policy compliance at the hearing & appeals level of adjudication.

The Board also met in executive session throughout the day to discuss current and planned projects as well as potential Board trips for 2014.

I certify that the minutes written for the February 12, 2014 meeting of the Social Security Advisory Board are correct.



Barbara B. Kennelly

Acting Chair
Social Security Advisory Board